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PRESIDING OFFICER GREGORY ATTENDS PARK AVENUE ELEMENTARY CAREER DAY



Amityville, NY – Suffolk County Legislature Presiding Officer DuWayne Gregory spoke to fifth grade classes at Park Avenue Memorial Elementary School in Amityville on Friday, Nov. 6 as part of the school's eighth annual Career Day.

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The Presiding Officer joined over 30 parents, local businesses and community members to speak with students about their careers and how they transitioned from the classroom to the professional world.

“We have been lucky enough to have Legislator DuWayne Gregory be part of our program from the very beginning,” said School Counselor Kimberly Balducci, who organizes Park Avenue Elementary School’s Career Day. “Each year he returns to speak to our students about his responsibilities and his role as our legislator. We appreciate his support for our College and Career Program.”

Each speaker gave a 15- to 20-minute presentation followed by a question and answer session. Students were encouraged to dress up as the profession that they would like to have when they grow up.

“Park Avenue’s Career Day is a great opportunity to stimulate the minds of students, discuss what goes into choosing the career path that is right for them and get them excited for their futures,” said Presiding Officer Gregory. “The kids were exposed to a variety of career fields and were able to discover what aspects of a career are important to them. I would like to thank Park Avenue Elementary and Mrs. Balducci for hosting this important day year after year.”

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